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Appointments to fill vacancies in subsidiary organs and other appointments

Appointments of members of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions

Note by the Secretary-General

1. As indicated in document A/58/101 of 8 July 2003, the General Assembly at its current session will be required to appoint five persons to fill the vacancies that will occur in the membership of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions, for a three-year term of office beginning on 1 January 2004.

2. The following persons have been nominated by their respective Governments for appointment or reappointment:

Andrzej T. **Abraszewski** (Poland);

Manlan Narcisse **Ahounou** (Côte d'Ivoire);

Collen V. **Kelapile** (Botswana);

Felipe **Mabilangan** (Philippines);

E. Besley **Maycock** (Barbados);

Seyed Morteza **Mirmohammad** (Islamic Republic of Iran);

C. S. M. **Mselle** (United Republic of Tanzania);

Murari Raj **Sharma** (Nepal);

Sun Joun-yung (Republic of Korea).

3. The candidates' curricula vitae are set out below.

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Andrzej T. Abraszewski (Poland)

ACADEMIC BACKGROUND: M.A., Central School for Foreign Service, Warsaw, 1961; Doctor of Laws (LL.D.), Law School, Copernicus University, Torun, Poland 1971: Polish Institute of International Affairs, Warsaw (member of senior research staff); post graduate research and studies on international organizations at The Hague, Geneva, Paris, Rome, Vienna, New York.

LANGUAGES: English, French, Russian, Spanish

PROFESSIONAL CAREER:

Current	Member of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions (ACABQ)
1994	Chairman of the Joint Inspection Unit (JIU) of the United Nations and the specialized agencies
1993 and 1998	Vice-Chairman of the Joint Inspection Unit
1991-2000	Member of the Joint Inspection Unit
1990	Chairman of the Committee for Programme and Co-ordination (CPC)
1989	Vice-Chairman of the Committee for Programme and Co-ordination (CPC)
1987 and 1988	Vice-Chairman of the Committee on Contributions
1983-1988	Member of the Committee on Contributions
1982	Chairman of the Fifth Committee of the thirty-seventh session of the General Assembly.
1979	Vice-Chairman of the Fifth Committee of the thirty-fourth session of the General Assembly

1977-1982	Member of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions (ACABQ)
1975	Member of the Ad-hoc Working Group on United Nations Programme and Budget Machinery
1971-1990 and 2001-2002	Delegate of Poland to the Fifth Committee of the General Assembly
1970	Secretary of the Polish National Committee on the twenty-fifth Anniversary of the United Nations
1961-1971	Researcher, Department of International Organizations, Polish Institute of International Affairs, Warsaw

PUBLICATIONS:

a) Books:

1967: *Latin America in the United Nations.*

1973: *Co-ordination of the activities of the international organizations in the United Nations system.*

1975: *Poland in the United Nations* (in Polish, English edition 1977).

b) Articles and studies on legal, political, administrative and financial problems of the United Nations, published in Polish and foreign scholarly periodicals; e.g.: 2000 - *Reform of the United Nations: a progress report*; 1993 - *Financing of peace-keeping operations of the United Nations*. Published in *International Geneva Yearbook*, Peter Lang, Bern, Berlin, Frankfurt/M., New York, Paris, Vienna.

c) Co-author of numerous JIU reports; inter-alia on: use of consultants, results-based budgeting, accountability and oversight, outsourcing, travel arrangements, coordination, peace-keeping cooperations.

REFERENCES:

Who's Who in the United Nations, Omnigraphics Inc., Detroit 1992, p.6
The International Who's Who 2002, Europa Publ. Co. London, p.6

Manlan Narcisse Ahounou (Côte d'Ivoire)

I. Civil status

Date and place of birth: 29 October 1956, Ayame, Côte d'Ivoire

Nationality: Ivorian

Marital status: Married

II. Education

November 1990	Doctorate in Social Sciences, University of Abidjan, specialization in Economic Sociology of Development, pass with high honours.
1983-1984	*Diplôme d'Etudes Approfondies (DEA)*, Applied Social Sciences, University of Abidjan.
1982-1983	Master of Arts in Social Sciences, University of Abidjan, Faculty of Letters and Human Sciences, specialization in Development Policy and Economic Sociology.
1981-1982	*Licence ès lettres*, Social Sciences, University of Abidjan.
1975-1978	*Lycée Moderne de Grand-Bassam, Bac A4*, obtained A4 baccalaureate.

III. Professional activities

Jan. 2001-Dec. 2003	Elected by the United Nations General Assembly as a member of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions (ACABQ).
Jan. 2001 to present	Adviser in the Department of United Nations Affairs, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Côte d'Ivoire.
1995-2000	– Adviser on administrative, budgetary and financial matters in the Permanent Mission of Côte d'Ivoire to the United Nations.
	– Representative on the Committee for Programme and Coordination (observer).
1998-2000	– Deputy Coordinator of the Group of African Experts in the Fifth Committee (administrative, budgetary and financial questions).
1997-1998	Vice-Chairman of the Fifth Committee at the fifty-third session of the United Nations General Assembly
1995-1999	Adviser to the Permanent Mission of Côte d'Ivoire, representative of Côte d'Ivoire in the Fifth Committee.
1993-1995	First Secretary in the Permanent Mission, responsible for the Fifth Committee.

1990-1993	Head of the Official Messages and Telegrams Office and Head of the Asia-Oceania Division, Directorate of Political Affairs, Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
1988-1990	Head of the Official Messages and Telegrams Office, Directorate of Political Affairs, Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
1986-1988	Head of the Asia-Oceania Division, Directorate of Political Affairs, Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
Since 1986	Official in the Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

IV. Works and publications

L'Hygiène dans un quartier à l'habitat spontané: étude de cas, Gobele, Abidjan, Institut d'éthno-sociologie (IES), 1982, 52 pp.

Crise économique, criminalité et délinquance juvénile dans les sociétés en transition: réflexion sur le cas de la Côte d'Ivoire, IES, 1985, 40 pp.

L'Etudiant ivoirien et les mouvements intellectualistes de bienfaisance en Côte d'Ivoire, June 1983, Abidjan, IES, 115 pp.

Impacts socio-économiques du crédit agricole dans le processus du développement rural ivoirien, doctoral thesis, Abidjan, November 1990, IES, 430 pp.

Rôle des Intellectuels dans le processus du développement économique, social et démocratique de la Côte d'Ivoire, Abidjan, 1986, 43 pp.

Contribution des institutions financières à la promotion de l'urbanisation et de la construction immobilière en Afrique de l'Ouest, IES, 1992, 129 pp.

Has also written numerous newspaper articles (FMKJA)

V. Internships and seminars

September 1985-1986	Traineeship at the *Banque Nationale pour le Développement Agricole* (National Bank for Agricultural Development), on the recommendation of the University of Abidjan, as part of preparation for the doctoral thesis.
March 1988-June 1988	Training seminar for young African diplomats at the Cairo Diplomatic Institute, on diplomatic practice and Africa's challenges.
April 1994	United Nations Institute for Training and Research (UNITAR) training seminar on peacekeeping operations, United Nations Headquarters, New York.

Collen V. Kelapile (Botswana)

DATE OF BIRTH	:	**10 July, 1968**
PLACE OF BIRTH	:	**Maitengwe, Botswana**
GENDER	:	**Male**
MARITAL STATUS	:	**Married with 1 son**
CURRENT POSITION	:	**Counsellor** **Permanent Mission of Botswana to the United Nations** **(U.N. Administrative and budgetary issues)**
LANGUAGES SPOKEN	:	**English, Setswana and Ikalanga (mother tongue)**

- Botswana's Observer Representative to the Sessions of the Committee on Conferences (2001-Present)
- Coordinator of the African Group of Experts of the Fifth Committee (2001-Present)
- Third, Second, First Secretary and Counsellor: Permanent Mission of Botswana to the United Nations, New York, U.S.A. (1998-Present)
- Botswana's Representative to Fifth Committee: 53rd, 54th, 55th, 56th and 57th UNGA Sessions (1998-Present)
- Botswana's Representative to Forty-First Session of the Committee for Programme and Coordination (CPC) (2001-Present)
- Vice-Chairman for the Forty-Second Session of the Committee for Programme and Coordination (CPC) (2002)
- Vice-Chairman of the Fifth Committee: 55th UNGA Session (2000/2001)
- Assistant Coordinator of the African Group of Experts of the Fifth Committee (1999-2000)

- Botswana's Observer Representative to the Thirty-Ninth and Fortieth Sessions of the Committee for Programme and Coordination (CPC) (1999 and 2000)

- Foreign Affairs Officer III and Desk Officer-in-charge of the United Nations system, the Movement of Non-Aligned Countries (NAM), and the Global Coalition for Africa (GCA): International Relations Division, Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Botswana (1995-1998)

- Botswana's Delegate (Adviser) to Fifth Committee: 52nd UNGA Session (1997)

INTERNATIONAL MEETINGS AND CONFERENCES

- Member of Botswana Delegation to the XIII Summit of the Movement of the Non-Aligned Countries (NAM): Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia (2003)

- Member of Botswana Delegation to the XII Ministerial Meeting of the Non-Aligned Countries (NAM): Durban, South Africa (2002)

- Member of Botswana Delegation to the Fifty-Second Session of the United Nations General Assembly, New York, U.S.A. (1997)

- Member of Botswana Delegation to the XII Ministerial Meeting of the Movement of Non-Aligned Countries (NAM): New Delhi, India (1997)

- Member of Botswana Delegation to the Sixteenth Session of the United Nations Commission on Human Settlements (HABITAT): Nairobi, Kenya (1997)

- Member of Botswana Delegation to the United Nations Conference on Human Settlements (HABITAT II): Istanbul, Turkey (1996)

OTHER TRAINING, WORKSHOPS AND SEMINARS ATTENDED

- Participated in the Workshop on the United Nations Budgetary Process, organized by UNITAR: New York, U.S.A. (2000)

- Participated in the Workshop on the Structure, Drafting and Adoption of United Nations Resolutions, organized by UNITAR: New York, U.S.A. (1999)

- Represented Ministry of Foreign Affairs at a Training Seminar on the Conduct of United Nations Peacekeeping Operations, organized by the African Center for the Constructive Resolution of Disputes (ACCORD): Gaborone, Botswana (1997)

- Represented Ministry of Foreign Affairs at a Record Retention and Disposal Workshop for Action Officers: Gaborone, Botswana (1996)

- Represented Ministry of Foreign Affairs at a Productivity Seminar, Botswana National Productivity Center: Gaborone, Botswana (1996)

- Participated in a Computer Training Course, Institute for Development Management (IDM): Gaborone, Botswana (1996)

- Attended the 10th Professional Course for Foreign Diplomats, Foreign Service Institute, Ministry of External Affairs: New Delhi, India (1996)

EDUCATION

- Bachelor of Arts Degree (Public Administration and Political Science), University of Botswana (1995)

Felipe Mabilangan (Philippines)

Education

Carnegie Fellow in International Relations, University of Geneva, 1964

M.A., University of Oxford, 1964

Special Studies at the Sorbonne, Paris, as French Government Scholar, 1960-1962

B.A. (Honours) in Philosophy, Politics and Economics, University of Oxford (Balliol College), 1959

A.B. Delhi University (St. Stephens College), 1956

Career

Member of U.N. Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions (ACABQ), 2001- present

Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary, Permanent Representative to the United Nations, New York, 1994 to 2001

Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary to the People's Republic of China and concurrently Ambassador to Mongolia, 1990-1994

Director-General, Office of European Affairs, Department of Foreign Affairs, Manila, 1988-1989

Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary to France and concurrently Ambassador to Portugal, 1979-1988

Permanent Representative to UNESCO, 1979-1988

Director-General, Department of Foreign Affairs, and Principal Special Assistant to the Foreign Minister (Minister Carlos P. Romulo) with the rank of Ambassador, Manila, 1972-1978

Chief Coordinator, Department of Foreign Affairs, Manila, with the rank of Career Minister (with added responsibility of overseeing administrative and budgetary questions), 1969-1972

Second Secretary, Philippine Mission to the United Nations Office at Geneva, 1965-1969

Protocol and Political Officer, Department of Foreign Affairs, Manila 1962-1964

Appointed Foreign Service Officer after passing civil service examinations (First Place), 1962

In the United Nations

Member of Expert Group, Perez-Guerrero Trust Fund, 1997-2000

Chairman, Credentials Committee-General Assembly, fifty-fourth session

Vice-Chairman, Disarmament Commission, 1999

Vice-President of General Assembly, fifty-first session

Chairman of the Group of 77, New York, 1995

Member of the Philippine delegation to the General Assembly for fifteen sessions (twenty-sixth to thirty-fifth and forty-ninth to fifty-fifth)

U.N. and International meetings attended as head or member of Philippine delegation

Group of New Democracies, Bucharest 1999; G-77 Eminent Persons Group, Guyana 1999; Meeting on Disarmament, Tokyo 1998; Development Conference: Kyoto, Japan 1996, Tokyo 1997; Social Development Summit, Copenhagen 1995; Non-Aligned Movement Ministerial Meetings: Cartagena, Colombia 1995, Bandung, Indonesia 1996, New Delhi 1997; Non-Aligned Summit, Durban 1998; APEC Summit Conference, Seattle 1993; ESCAP Ministerial Meeting Beijing 1992; Ministerial Meeting on Environment, Beijing 1991; United Nations World Conference on Sanctions against South Africa, Paris 1986; Paris Club Meeting for Philippines, 1982 and 1985; IBRD Consultative Group for Philippines, Paris 1983,1985 and 1987; UNESCO General Conference: Belgrade 1980, Paris 1983, Sofia 1985, Paris 1987; World Conference on Cultural Policies, Mexico City 1982; International Conference on Indo-Chinese Refugees, Geneva 1979; Member, Group of Experts on Disarmament and Security, Geneva 1979; ASEAN-EEC Ministerial Meeting, Brussels 1978; special session of the General Assembly on disarmament, New York 1978; UNCTAD II, New Delhi 1968; UNCTAD IV, Nairobi 1976; World Food Conference, Rome 1974; Ministerial Meeting of Group of 77, Algiers 1968; attended major meetings of UNCTAD, GATT, ILO, the Economic and Social Council, WHO, Conference on Disarmament and Commission on Human Rights, Geneva 1965-1969

Other activities

Member of the Philippine Center Management Board: supervised and managed administration and budget of Philippine Government properties and the Philippine Center in New York, 1994-2001

Awards

Grand Officer, National Order of Merit, Government of France, 1988

Ten Outstanding Young Men (TOYM) of the Philippines for International Relations, 1975

Philippine decoration Gawad Mabini awarded by President of the Philippines, 2002

Languages

Fluent in Filipino, French and English; conversant in Spanish.

Personal

Born in 1936 in Manila, Philippines

Married with three children

E. Besley Maycock (Barbados)

EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

10/99 - Present	Vice-Chairman of the Advisory Committee for Administrative and Budgetary Questions (ACABQ)
1992 – 09/1999	Member of Advisory Committee for Administrative and Budgetary Questions (ACABQ)
1990 – 01/95	Permanent Representative of Barbados to the United Nations
08/87 – 06/90	Permanent Secretary, Ministry of Education & Culture
01/87 – 07/87	Deputy Permanent Secretary, Ministry of Employment, Labor Relations & Community Development
1985 – 1986	Deputy Permanent Secretary, Ministry of Foreign Affairs
1971 – 1985	Senior Foreign Service Officer, Ministry of Foreign Affairs
1967 – 1970	Assistant Secretary, Ministry of Education & Culture
1966 – 1967	Administrative Assistant, Ministry of Agriculture
1963 – 1966	Regional Representative with Longmans, Green Publishers
1959 – 1962	Administrative Officer, West Indies Federal Government
1958 – 1959	History Teacher, Combermere School

EDUCATION & TRAINING

1969	Graduate Institute of International Relations, Geneva: Carnegie Fellowship in International Relations
1967	University of the West Indies, St. Augustine, Trinidad & Tobago Institute of International Relations: Diplomatic Training

1954 – 1958	University College of the West Indies, Mona, Jamaica (now University of the West Indies): BA (Hons.) History
1951 – 1954	Harrison College
1945 – 1951	Combermere School
1940 – 1945	St. Giles Boys' School

PERSONAL

Born: 1935-01-05 Married Two Children

ACTIVITIES & CAREER HIGHLIGHTS

1987/08/01 – 1990/06/30

EMPLOYMENT:

As the Administrative Head and Chief Accounting Officer of the Ministry of Education and Culture and the autonomous departments under this umbrella, is accountable to the political directorate for the preparation and presentation of the annual budget and any subsequent requests for supplementary vote; approves all major personnel changes; responsible for the performance and the effective functioning of divisions and autonomous departments; policy adviser to the Minister.

ACTIVITIES:

Regional: Member of two boards of the Caribbean Examination Council, the Region's Public Examining Board for school leavers at the secondary level; (1) the Administrative and Finance Committee and (2) Council, the supreme decision-making body

Member of the Technical Advisory Committee, University of the West Indies, Mona Campus, Jamaica and University Grants Committee; Chairman, Technical Advisory Committee, Cave Hill Campus, Barbados

International: Member of Barbados delegation to the World Conference on Education for All (Mar. 5-9, 1990: Jontien, Thailand)

Head of Barbados delegation to the meeting of CARICOM Standing Committee for Ministers of Education (8th: 1990 Apr. 30 – May 4: Port of Spain)

Member of the Barbados delegation to the UN General Assembly (43rd regular session: 1988 – 1989). Elected to serve as a member of the United Nations Commission Against Apartheid in Sport

Special Envoy of the Prime Minister to the UN General Assembly (1988 June)

Member of the Barbados delegation to the meeting of the CARICOM Standing Committee of Ministers of Education (7th: 1988 May: Georgetown, Guyana)

1987/01 – 07

EMPLOYMENT:

As Deputy Permanent Secretary worked with the Permanent Secretary to manage the affairs of the Ministry of Employment, Labor Relations and Community Development

ACTIVITIES:

Regional: Member of the Regional Labor Board

International: Member of the Barbados delegation to the OAS Inter American Council for Education (1987 : Washington)

Member of the Barbados delegation to the UNESCO General Conference (1987 : Paris)

1971 – 1986

EMPLOYMENT:

The Senior Foreign Service Officer, Ministry of External Affairs (now Foreign Affairs) held several portfolios:

1971 – 1972: Head of the Caribbean Desk
1972 – 1976: Counsellor, Mission at Ottawa
1976 – 1978: Chief of Protocol and Head of the Administrative Desk of the Ministry
1976/01 – 07: Counsellor and Charge d'Affaires in the Barbados Mission to the United Nations at New York
79/07-85/08: Minister Counsellor in the Barbados Mission to United Nations at New York
1985 – 1986: Deputy Permanent Secretary, Ministry of Foreign Affairs

ACTIVITIES:

Regional: Member of the Barbados delegation to meetings of the CARICOM Council of Ministers (1971-1972 : Georgetown)

Advisor to the Government of the Commonwealth of Dominica on the establishment of a Foreign Service Department; organized the training courses for prospective diplomats (1978)

Member of the Barbados delegation to the Non-Aligned Summit (1979 : Havana)

Leader of the Barbados delegation to the meeting of CARICOM Standing Conference of Ministers of Foreign Affairs (1986 : Belize City, Belize)

International: Member of the Barbados delegation to the UN General Assembly (33rd Regular Session : 1978-79)

Member of the Barbados delegation to the UN Economic and Social Council, 1979-1981; Leader of the delegation to the First Regular Session : 1979)

Chairman, UN Ad Hoc Committee on the Drafting of an International Convention against Apartheid in Sport (1980-1985); during this chairmanship, led several delegations of the committee to consultations with member governments on the issue of Apartheid; also led a delegation of the Committee to two conferences on Apartheid: to London 1983 and 1985 to Paris

Vice-chairman, UN AD Hoc Committee on the drafting of an International Convention against the Recruitment, Use, Financing and Training of Mercenaries (1981, 1982); 1981 : Chairman of a working group; 1982: Chairman of Working Group A

Vice-Chairman, UN Fifth Committee (Administrative and Budgetary Committee) (37th Regular Session : 1982-83)

Chairman, UN Fifth Committee (Administrative and Budgetary Committee (39th Regular Session : 1984-85 and 45th regular session : 1990-91)

Member of the Barbados delegation to the UN General Assembly (41st regular session : 1986-87)

Member of the Barbados delegation to the special session on the financial crisis facing the UN

Chairman, Credentials Committee, UN (1992)

Chairman, Commission against Apartheid in Sports, UN (1992)

1958 – 1967

Miscellaneous Employment: Several jobs including that of teacher at one of the leading secondary schools and later an officer with the now defunct West Indies Federation; in the post Federation period, 1962/63 worked with the Interim Commission set up to handle all administrative matters pertaining to the end of the Federation and the abolition of its Civil Service

ACTIVITIES:

International: Member of the Barbados inaugural delegation to the UNESCO General Conference (1968 : Paris)

Seyed Morteza Mirmohammad (Islamic Republic of Iran)

Born: 23 September 1964
Nationality: Iranian
Married with one daughter

Education:

1994 M.A International Relations, Tehran University
1990 B.A International Relations, School of International Relations, Ministry of Foreign Affairs

Career:

- **Chairman of the 43rd Session of the Committee for Programme and Coordination(CPC) in the year 2003**
- **Vice Chairman of the 42nd Session of the Committee for Programme and Coordination (CPC) in the year 2002**
- **Chairman of the Group of 77 and China in the Fifth Committee for the year 2001**
- March-June and November-December 2000, Delegate to the Fifth Committee and the CPC, NY
- Coordination in the Fifth Committee and the CPC on items related to the regular Programme Budget and Financing of the Peacekeeping Operations.
- February 99 – February 2000, First Secretary, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Department of International Specialized Agencies, Tehran
- July 95 – January 99, Second Secretary, Delegation to the Fifth Committee, NY
- August 95 – August 98, Member of the Committee on Conferences for four consecutive years, NY
- Vice-Chairman of the Committee on Conferences in its 1997 meeting, New York
- June 1996 – August 1998, Member of the Committee for Programme and Coordination (CPC) for three consecutive session, NY
- 1994, Member of the Delegation of Iran to the Fifth Committee, New York
- 1993, Member of the Delegation of Iran to the First Committee and the Conference on Disarmament, New York and Geneva
- 1992, Member of the Delegation of Iran to the Fifth Committee, New York
- 1992, Member of the Delegation of Iran to the Regional Sub-Commission on Narcotic Drugs, Tehran
- 1991, Member of the Delegation of Iran to the Commission on Narcotic Drugs, Vienna
- 1990, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Department of International Specialized Agencies, Tehran.

Languages: English and French

C. S. M. Mselle (United Republic of Tanzania)

Date of birth 1938

Academic qualifications BA. (Honours) London, 1964

Career service

Joined government service, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, 19 April 1964

Training in diplomacy and international relations, Columbia University, New York, 1964-1965

Assistant Research Officer, Legal and Research Department, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, 1965-1966

Assistant Secretary, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, 1966-1968

Second Secretary, Embassy of the United Republic of Tanzania, Cairo, 1968-1969

First Secretary and Head of Chancery, Permanent Mission of the United Republic of Tanzania to the United Nations, 1969-1972

Counsellor, 1972

Director of Administration and Personnel Management, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Dar-es-Salaam, 1973-1975

Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary, 1981

Conferences and Committees

Member of the delegation of the United Republic of Tanzania to the twenty-first session of the General Assembly; Alternate Representative, Special Political Committee, 1966

Member of the delegation of the United Republic of Tanzania to the twenty-second to twenty-ninth sessions of the General Assembly; Representative in the Fifth Committee, 1967-1974

Member of the Committee for Programme and Coordination, 1969-1971

Representative of the United Republic of Tanzania to the Special Committee on the Situation with regard to the Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples, 1969-1971

Rapporteur of the Committee for Programme and Coordination, 1970-1971

Member of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions, 1971- 1974

Chairman of ACABQ since 1975

Representative of the United Republic of Tanzania in the Governing Council of the United Nations Development Programme, 1970-1971

Chairman, Fifth Committee, twenty-eighth session of the General Assembly, 1973

Vice-Chairman, Committee on Applications for Review of Administrative Tribunal Judgments, New York, 1973

Murari Raj Sharma (Nepal)
Date of Birth: 16 April 1951
Sex: Male
Nationality: Nepalese

Education:
-Master of Public and International Affaires: University of Pittsburgh, USA, 1982
-Master of Arts (Economics): Tribhuvan University, Nepal, 1978
-Master of Commerce: Tribhuvan University, Kathmandu, 1975
-Bachelor of Law: Tribhuvan University, Nepal, 1990
-Bachelor of Education (Business): Tribhuvan University, Nepal, 1973

Trainings:
-Foreign Service: Institute of Foreign Affairs, Nepal, 1984
-Leadership Training, Nepal Administrative Staff College, Nepal, 1992
-Senior Administrator's Training, Nepal Administrative Staff College, 1992
-Internship with the United Nations, 1987

Fellowships:
-Humphrey Fellowship for Public Administration: American University, USA, 1986-87
-UNDP Fellowship to pursue the Master's degree in the United States, 1982-83

Experiences:
-Jun. 2000-to date: **Ambassador/Permanent Representative of Nepal to the United Nations,** New York (also concurrently accredited to Argentina, Brazil, Chile, Cuba and Venezuela)
-Nov. 1997-Jun. 2000: Foreign Secretary, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Nepal
-May 1997-Nov. 1997: Special Secretary, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Nepal
-Apr. 1993-May. 1997: Joint Secretary (equivalent to Director-General), United Nations & International Law Division, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Nepal
-Jan. 1991-Apr. 1993: Joint Secretary/Chief, Budget Division, Ministry of Finance, Nepal
-Aug. 1990-Jan. 1991: Joint Secretary, Special Services (Planning and Drugs Control & Disaster Management) Division, Ministry of Home Affairs, Nepal
-Aug 1989-Aug. 1990: Under Secretary, Drugs Control Division, Ministry of Home Affairs, Nepal
-Jun. 1983-Aug. 1989: Under Secretary, Administrative Reforms Division, Ministry of General Administration, Nepal
-Dec. 1982-Jun. 1983: Section Officer, Section for the Americas, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Nepal
-Feb. 1978-Dec-1982: Section Officer, Foreign Aid and Program Division, Ministry of Finance, Nepal
-Feb. 1977-Nov. 1977: Chief (Level VI), Procurement Unit, Nepal Food Corporation, Nepal

-Nov. 1977-Feb. 1978: Internal Audit Officer (Level VII), Nepal Food Corporation Nepal
-Oct. 1976-Feb. 1977: Joint Accounts Officer, Nepal Commercial Bank, Nepal
-Nov. 1974-Oct. 1976: Assistant Lecturer, Tribhuvan University, Nepal

United Nations-Related Experiences:
-Chairman, Fifth Committee of the 57th General Assembly
-Leader of the Nepalese delegation to the Fifth Committee, 55th-57th sessions
-Member of the Nepalese delegation to the Fifth Committee several times, 1993-1999
-Vice-President, ECOSOC, 2003
-Vice-President, 56th General Assembly
-Vice-Chairman, UNICEF Executive Board, 2002
-Vice-Chairman, LDCs Bureau, since Jan 2002
-Leader, Nepal's delegation, Commission on Sustainable Development, 2003
-Leader, Nepal's delegation, General Assembly special session on Small Arms and Light Weapons, 2001
-Leader of Nepal's delegation, General Assembly special session on HIV/AIDS, 2001
-Leader, Nepal's delegation, ECOSOC substantive sessions (Geneva, 2001; New York, 2002; and Geneva 2003)
-Deputy Leader, Nepal's delegation: General Assembly, 2000-2002
-Chairman, Meeting on Asia-Pacific Human Rights Arrangements, Kathmandu, 1996
-Leader, Extraordinary Ministerial Meeting of Least Developed Countries, Rabat, 2003
-Member, Nepal's delegation, World Summit for Sustainable Development, Johannesburg, 2002
-Member, Nepal's delegation, International Conference on Financing for Development, Monterrey, 2002
-Member, Nepal's delegation, General Assembly special session on Children, 2002
-Member, Nepal's delegation, LDCs Ministerial Meeting, Cotonou, 2002
-Member, Nepal's delegation, GA session on Small Arms and Light Weapons, New York, 2001
-Member, Nepal's delegation, Millennium Summit, 2000
- Member, Nepal's delegations to the General Assembly, 1993-1999
-Member, Nepal's delegation led by King Birendra B. Shah Dev, World Food Day, Rome, 1997
-Member, Nepal's delegation, Food Summit, Rome, 1996
-Member, Nepal's delegation, Second UN Conference oh Human Settlement, Istanbul, 1996
-Member, Nepal's delegation, World Summit on Social Development, Copenhagen, 1995
-Member, Nepal's delegation, Fourth International Conference on Women, Beijing, 1995
-Member, Nepal's delegation, International Conference on Population and Development, Cairo, 1994
-Member, Nepal's delegation, World Conference on Human Rights, Vienna, 1993
-Member, Nepal's delegation, Regional Meeting on Women, Jakarta, 1994
-Member, Nepal's delegation, ESCAP Meeting, Beijing, 1992

-Participated in several disarmament meetings, i. e., two in Seoul, one in Kathmandu, one in Sapporo, one in Kandy and one in Mongolia, and presented papers in some of them.

Other Diplomatic Experiences:

-Leader, Nepalese Delegation, SAARC Standing Committee Meetings, Nuwara Eliya, 1999; Colombo, 1998; and Male (Maldives), 1997
-Leader, Nepalese Delegation, SAARC Sub-Regional Co-operation Meeting, Kathmandu, 1999
-Leader, Nepalese Delegation to Thailand, 1998
-Leader, Nepalese Delegation to China, 1999
-Leader, Nepalese Delegation to negotiate the return of Bhutanese refugees, Kathmandu, 2000
-Leader, Nepalese Delegation to Bhutan to negotiate the return of Bhutanese refugees, Thimpu, 2000
-Member, Nepalese Delegation to Japan headed by the Prime Minister, 1998
-Member, Nepalese Delegation to India for His Majesty the King's State Visit, 1999
-Member, Nepalese Delegation to India to negotiate the revision of the 1950 Treaty (twice), 1997
-Member, Nepalese Delegation, World Congress against Commercial Sexual Exploitation of Children, Stockholm, 1996
-Member, Nepalese Delegation, NAM Summit, Colombia, 1995
-Member, Nepalese Delegation, NAM Ministerial Meeting, Colombia, 1996
-Member, Nepalese Delegation, NAM Ministerial Meeting, New Delhi, 1997
-Member, Nepalese Delegation, NAM Summit, Durban, 1998
-Member, Nepalese Delegation, NAM Ministerial Meeting, Durban, 2002
-Member, Nepalese Delegation, South Summit, Havana, 2000
-Member, Nepal's delegation, NAM Summit, Kuala Lumpur, 2003
-Member, Nepalese Delegation to negotiate the SAARC Convention against Drugs, 1991

Special Assignments:

-1994: Consultant, Health Research Project, Nepal
-1993: Senior Consultant to the Administrative Reforms Commission (headed by the Prime Minister), on career advancement, Nepal
-1992: Officer on Special Duty: Pay Commission of Nepal
-1991: Consultant to the ILO Project on Administration, Nepal
-1989: Chief Investigator for projects failing to meet 50 percent of their targets, Nepal
-1988: Officer on Special Duty, Janch Boojh Kendra (Research Centre), Royal Palace of Nepal
-1986: Consultant to Royal Nepal Academy for Science and Technology, Nepal, to frame administrative rules and regulations
-1995: Member Secretary, UN's Fiftieth Anniversary Celebration Committee of Nepal

Corporate Board Membership:

-Member, Board of Directors, Nepal Transport Corporation, Nepal, early 1990s
-Member, Board of Directors, Agriculture Development Bank, Nepal, early 1990s

-Member, Board of Directors, Institute of Foreign Affairs, Nepal, latter part of 1990s
-Member, Kathmandu Valley Development Board, Nepal, early 1990s
-Member, Health Research Council, Nepal, early 1990s

Visiting/Guest Professor:
-Kathmandu College of Management
-Institute of Management, Public Administration Campus, Tribhuvan University, Nepal
-Nepal Administrative Staff College, Kathmandu
-Revenue Training Center, Lalitpur

Major Papers/Talk Programs:
-Asia Society, New York, on the Maoist Problem in Nepal, June 2003
-Michigan State University, USA, on the Maoist Problem in Nepal, April 2003
-Williams College, USA, on the Maoist Problem in Nepal, 2002
-Convention of the Nepalese in America, Philadelphia, on Nepal-US relations, 2001
-Seminar organized by the Alliance for Democracy and Human Rights on the Maoist Problem, New York, 2002
-Convention of the Nepalese in Mid-West America, Minneapolis, on How Diaspora Nepalese Can Help Nepal, 2002
-SAARC Meeting on Rural Roads, Kathmandu, 1985
-Ceremony on the UN Day organized by the University of Bridgeport, Bridgeport, on US-UN Relations, 2001
-Seminar on US-UN Relations, Washington DC, 2002
-Numerous other papers presented/talks given on different occasions

Prizes/Awards:
-Mainali Short-stories Award, Nepal, 2000
-Humphrey Fellowship from the US Government on competitive basis, 1986-87
-First Prize: All Nepal Essay Competition on Regional Development in Nepal, 1972
-Third Prize: All Nepal Essay Competition on Royal Nepal Academy for Science and Technology, 1985
-First Prize: Inter-College Poetry Competition on Peace, 1971
-Numerous other prizes

Medals/Decorations:
-Gorkha Dakchhin Bahu III Medal
-Janapad Sewa Medal
-Disaster Relief Medal
-Special Commendation Medal from His Majesty the King

Recognitions:
-By the Mayor of Philadelphia, 2002
-By the University of Bridgeport, 2001

Publications:
-Murari Adhikari's Short Stories, a collection of short stories in Nepali, 2000

-More than 40 articles published in reputed magazines/publications in Nepali and English, in Nepal and USA, on banking, budget, administrative reforms, Nepalese economy, development, US-UN relations, Nepal-UN relations, Moist Problem in Nepal and several other areas

Languages:
-English (excellent)
-Nepali (excellent)
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Professional/Social Membership:
-Member and one time Vice President of Lion's Club, Dingla-Bhojpur Chapter, Nepal
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Travel:
Argentina, Australia, Austria, Belgium, Benin, Bhutan, Brazil, Canada, Chile, China, Colombia, Cuba, Denmark, Egypt, France, Germany, Hong Kong, India, Indonesia, Italy, Japan, Luxembourg, Malaysia, Maldives, Mexico, Mongolia, Morocco, Myanmar, Netherlands, Philippines, Qatar, Russia, Saudi Arabia, Singapore, South Africa, South Korea, Sri Lanka, Sweden, Switzerland, Thailand, Turkey, Venezuela, UAE, UK, and USA.

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EDUCATION

1958 – 1962	The College of Law, Seoul National University, Seoul
1966 - 1967	School of International Service, American University, Washington, D.C., U.S.A.

CAREER

1963	Joined the Ministry of Foreign Affairs (MOFA) After passing High Civil Service Examination in Diplomacy
1968 - 1971	Third Secretary, Korean Embassy in Washington, D.C. (Economic and Commercial Affairs)
1973 - 1975	Director, International Trade Division II, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Seoul (For U.S., Canada and Western Europe)
1975 - 1978	Counsellor, Korean Embassy in Tehran, Iran (Political Affairs)
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1981 - 1983	Minister and Deputy Chief of Mission, Korean Embassy in Brasilia, Brazil
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1987 - 1990	Director-General, International Trade Bureau, Foreign Ministry, Seoul
1990 - 1993	Ambassador to Czechoslovakia (Later to Czech Republic and Slovakia)
1993	Ambassador-at-large for Trade Negotiations
1993 - 1996	Deputy Foreign Minister for Economic Affairs, Seoul
1996 - 1998	Ambassador and Permanent Representative to the UN Office and the WTO, Geneva
1998 - 2000	Vice-Minister of Foreign Affairs and Trade, Seoul
2000 - 2003	Ambassador and Permanent Representative to the United Nations, New York

PROFESSIONAL RESPONSIBILITIES

1981 -	Member of the International Institute of Strategic Studies, London
1985 - 1986	Chairman of the GATT Committee on Subsidies and Countervailing Measures, Geneva
1985 - 1986	Chairman of the International Textile and Clothing Bureau and Spokesman of the Developing Countries at the Multi Fiber Arrangement (MFA) Negotiations
1985 - 1986	Member of the GATT Textile Surveillance Body, Geneva
1994 - 1995	Chairman, APEC Committee on Trade and Investment
1997	President, UN Conference on Disarmament, Geneva
1997 - 1998	Chairman, WTO Council for Trade in Services, Geneva

EXPERIENCE IN TRADE AND OTHER NEGOTIATIONS

1971 – 1975	Participated in the Korea-U.S. Negotiations on Textile Quotas
1985 - 1986	Head of the Korean Delegation at the Geneva MFA (Multi-Fiber Arrangement) Negotiations
1988 - 1990	Chief Negotiator for Korea-U.K., Korea-Mexico Civil Aviation Negotiations

1989 – 1990	Chief Negotiator for Korea-U.S. Civil Aviation Negotiations
1989 - 1990	Head of the Korean Delegation at the Korea – U.S. Super 301 Negotiations (Agriculture, Investment and Localizations)
1988 - 1989	Head of Korean Delegation at the GATT Dispute Settlement Panel on Beef (Korea v. U.S., Australia and New Zealand Respectively)
1989	Head of the Korean Delegation at the Korea-U.S. Negotiations on Motion-Pictures Market-Opening
1989	Head of the Korean Delegation at the GATT / Balance of Payment Negotiations (Concerning Korea's Graduation from BOP Protections)
1989 - 1990	Head of the Korean Delegation at the Korea-U.S. Negotiations on Beef
1989 – 1990	Co-chair, Korea-U.S. Trade Sub-Group
1993	Leader of the High-Level Korean Negotiation Team on the Uruguay Round and Chief Negotiator on Rice-Market Opening, Geneva
1993 - 1995	Co-Chairman, Korea-U.S. Dialogue for Economic Cooperation (DEC)
1993 - 1995	Co-Chairman, Korea-EU High Level Economic Meeting
1993 - 1995	Co-Chairman, Korea's Economic Joint Committees, Respectively with China, Canada, Vietnam, the United Kingdom, Germany, Australia and ASEAN
1994 - 1995	Co-Chairman, Korea-Japan New Initiative for Economic Partnership (NIEP)
1994 - 1995	Co-Chairman, Working Group on Korea-Canada Special Partnership
1994 - 1995	Government's Coordinator for Negotiations on Korea's Accession to the OECD
1994 - 1995	Chief Negotiator on the Korea-EC Framework Agreement for Trade and Cooperation
1998	Adviser to the Korean Delegation on Foreign Debts Rescheduling Negotiations, New York and Washington, D.C.
1998 – 1999	Co-chairman, Korea-U.S. Sub-Cabinet Level Annual Economic Consultations

1998 - 1999	Head of Delegation to the Annual Ministerial Meetings of the Economic and Social Council for Asia and Pacific
2000	Leader of Korean Delegation of the Negotiations on the UN Scale of Assessment for the Period 2001-2003

DECORATIONS:

1981	Civil Service Merit Medal of Honour
1994	Order of Civil Service Merit (Red Stripes)

PUBLICATIONS:

"GATT and the Uruguay Round of Multilateral Trade Negotiations"
(1988 Korea Development Institute, Seoul)

"MFA IV : Multi-Fiber Arrangement Negotiations"
(1986, World Trade Association, Seoul)

"The Impact of the Uruguay Round on International Trade Law"
(1996, IRI Review, Korea University, Seoul)